FISCAL NOTE

SB 2339 - HB 2844

March 17, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Amends the *Tennessee Health Care False Claims Act* and the *Tennessee Medicaid False Claims Act* to provide for the imposition of a civil penalty when a corporation has violated the provisions of either such act and the chief executive officer of the corporation knew of, should have known, or was negligent in not knowing of the violation.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues - Not Significant Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumes that the amount of revenues generated from the levying and collection of civil penalties will not be significant.

Assumes that any increased expenditures associated with the implementation of the provisions of this bill can be handled with existing resources.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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